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Ten Days in West Sacramento

From Art Schroeder
Community Relations
City of West Sacramento

Fourteen area photographers have been honored for outstanding achievement in the West Sacramento "Ten Days in May" photo contest. The awards were presented June 14 by the West Sacramento City Council.

Over 200 photos were submitted for the contest's six categories. First place winners in each category received $500 cash; second place winners received $250; and third place winners received $100.

The winners in the "under 18" category for West Sacramento residents were Teara Mendea, first place; Andrea Morgan, second place; and Brianne Vaughan, third place.

Winners in the "18-55" category for locals were Jalena Rusaw, first; Julie Folsom, second; and Christina Lockwood, third.

In the "over 55" category, winners were Stan Rommel, first; Fanny Staps, second; and Gary Clements, third.

For non-residents of West Sacramento, winners were Art Alejandre of Sacramento, first; Susan Giles of Sacramento, second; and Justine Bradley-Vargas of Antelope, third.

Two other categories offered only the first place prize.

Winning the professional photographer category was Steve McKay, a photojournalist for the Vacaville Reporter. In the category set aside for City of West Sacramento employees and family members, the first place winner was city clerk Helen Kanowsky.

The number of entries this year increased by 33 percent

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This photo, a picture taken by Fanny Stap of her 6 1/2-year old twin grandchildren, placed second in the "10 Days in May" photo contest's category for West Sacramento residents over 55. Pictured are Christopher and Monica -- both students at Southport Elementary School. More photo winners on page eight.

Live Oak project back; Port needs a re-evaluation

Supervisor McGowan shares his views

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

Mike McGowan
Supervisor, 1st Dist.

What's your county supervisor up to?

Michael McGowan, whose First District in Yolo County includes Clarksburg and all but the northwestern corner of West Sacramento, sat down with the *News-Ledger* earlier this month for a discussion of this question.

The talk covered a number of "fermenting" local issues, including:

■ A new inter-jurisdictional conference of cities and Yolo County continues to get together, trying to develop some strategies for planning Yolo's growth as a region.

"I call it 'Gaining Ground,' " said McGowan, "but some of the other jurisdictions don't like that. It's an effort to do a couple of things. One is to educate each other as to what's important to us as far as basic land use. And then, it's to go to the next step, which is what the tradeoffs are that we need to do to support each other in these efforts."

McGowan said he is optimistic about the benefits of this discussion.

"It's pretty clear that the four cities (West Sacramento, Davis, Woodland and Winters) and the county have a basic agreement on land use direction – basically it's to 'stay the course.' We want to direct growth to the cities and protect the unincorporated area, primarily for agricultural preservation. From my experience knocking around the state for awhile, this agreement is pretty unusual. What differences we have here are pretty minor."

McGowan added that "the crush of development hasn't caught up with Yolo County yet," and that he hopes that the county succeeds in passing the embattled Habitat Conservation Plan, which allows developers a kind of regional, one-stop shopping to pay for the environmental impacts of their projects.

He also discussed West Sacramento's concept of where it will ultimately put its city limits – a plan that projects northward expansion to Elkhorn at I-5, and southward expansion to Babel Slough Rd. The river and Yolo Bypass provide barriers to the east and west, he said.

"Anybody who takes a look at this would have to first take a hard look at whatever (undeveloped) land is available in the city," he said. "I've heard from developers that it makes sense to north of the Sacramento Weir, because they own land there, and development makes sense as a 'feeder' for the Reed Ave. area. The county's question about any development to the north and south will be, 'Why?' We've got more land available within city limits available for development than any other city."

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-- SUPERVISOR McGOWAN

■ On a related note, McGowan reported that Jonathan Cohen and Bill Falik are still working on their long-planned "Riviera Lakes" development envisioned for rural land south of West Sacramento, east of Jefferson Blvd. and close to Clarksburg.

"The latest iteration of this is as a golf community for seniors," he said of Riviera Lakes. "My position for some time is that if they're going to have that project, it's a city deal – the city will have to annex it."

He meant that he would not support the project if the city passed on it, and the developers tried to get Yolo County to grant approval as a project outside city limits.

Meanwhile, many Clarksburg residents steadfastly oppose this project as something of an invasion from the north, he added.

"They're concerned that the southern edge of West Sacramento is going to creep down, and there are other concerns such as traffic," he added.

■ West Sacramento has a new prominence in the region, said McGowan.

"The role of the City of West Sacramento is much larger than we've ever played before," said McGowan, who is a former city council member and was the city's first mayor. "We're poised to make important contributions to the county. We're seeing the city begin to open up relationships with outside areas, primarily with Sacramento, and that's great. But I don't want them to forget to look west."

■ McGowan, a longtime supervisor of the Port of Sacramento and related industrial development near it, said that it's time to re-evaluate the West Sacramento facility. The Port continues to struggle financially.

"I think it's a big question for us," he commented. "What are we going to do? What is the

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Cahill's reform measures killed

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

A proposal by city council member Jim Cahill to add disclosure requirements for local lobbying and campaign contributions turned into an unusually blunt spat among city council members last Wednesday.

At the end of the council's long meeting, Cahill asked the council to place the first of his two reform measures on a future council agenda for discussion. The measure called for "all parties and participants in any proceedings" in front of the city council or planning commission to be required to "disclose contributions of $250 or more to any officer of the city council or planning commission."

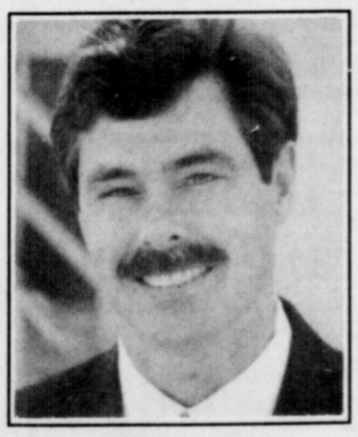
Both the parties who had given the contributions and the city officers themselves would be responsible for making the public disclosures when the contributors were in front of them on business. A City of West Sacramento campaign ordinance already limits election cycle contributions to $250 per contributor, and state law requires election candidates to file disclosures of donations worth $100 or more.

Cahill said that he was asking that the city "make an affirmative effort" to shift the burden of these disclosures. Currently, he said, such disclosures are often made public only months after the fact, and citizens must seek out the candidates' filings to learn of them.

"Our (current) campaign contribution limits are rather novel and are one of the most regulated in the region, and it has led me to be concerned about whether you believe there are any improper actions going on as to campaign contributions," councilman Mark Montemayor told Cahill.

"Absolutely not," responded Cahill. "It simply has to do with whether it's our duty to disclose, or a citizen's duty to go investigate."

"Basically, this is something about . . .what's currently in existence in our local ordinances and regulations, and spending council time on this burden of



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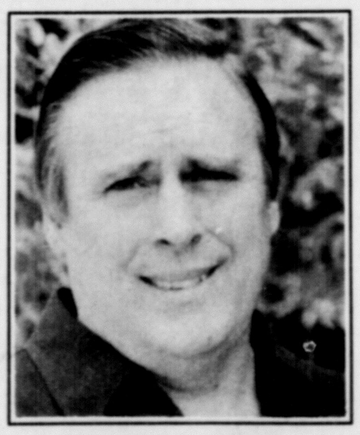

BILL KRISTOFF
City Council Member

what we're already duty bound, morally, and required to do," added council member Greg Potnick. He added that he had been a proponent of the city's current campain contribution limits, which are more restrictive than state law.

Montemayor then objected to future discussion of the proposal, and Cahill responded.

"I admit to a bit of frustration as I try to work with my colleagues through the system," said Cahill. "Essentially what we've just done is given a five minute discussion of this rather than discuss whether it should be on the agenda. In effect, we've discussed and disposed of it."

Cahill argued that the item was worth a city staff report and a more detailed discussion.

Mayor Christopher Cabaldon weighed in:

"I'd like at some point to have

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City negotiates with Salud site developer

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

The West Sacramento City Council gave its staff the go-ahead to negotiate with an area developer for construction of a 52-home, mixed-use project on a 2.9 acre the city owns near theI St. Bridge. The project calls for detached housing, and the developer hopes to receive a $130,000 subsidy as well as the real estate, free of charge, from the West Sacramento Redevelopment Agency.

"It's important to note that the council was not endorsing that subsidy by approving this item" on Wednesday, said the agency's Jon Robinson. Instead, staff will attempt to negotiate a cheaper deal for the city, which could then be back for city council approval in about 60 days.

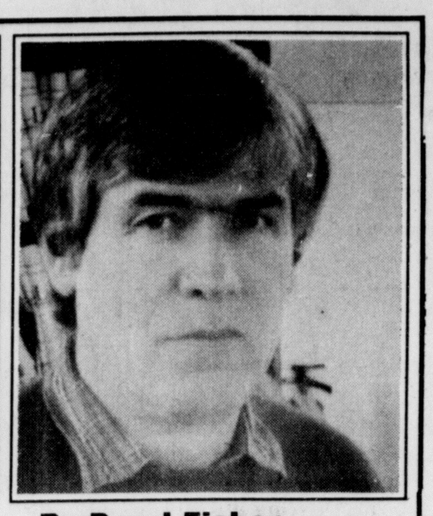
The Sares-Regis group has emerged as the preferred of four would-be developers at the former Salud Clinic site, bounded by 3rd, 4th, B and C streets.

Its proposal calls for closely-set detached homes of 1,200 to 1,549 square feet, at 18 units per acre, and selling for $128,125 to $164,000. Retail frontage would be built along C St., and a set of "live-work lofts" would be part of the project.

The developer has built a similar development in Sacramento, bounded by 26th, 27th, H and I streets, said Robinson.

"This is a really important gateway to the city," he added. "This would be the first new residential development in the Washington area in decades."

A public service announcement (and some cartoons)



By Daryl Fisher

A friend of mine (I'll call her Cindy) recently mailed me the following "public service announcement," distributed anonymously on the Internet, for women who fear getting a mammogram:

Many women are afraid of their first mammogram, but there is actually no need to worry. By taking a few minutes each day for a week preceding the exam and doing a series of practice exercises, you will be totally prepared for the test. Best of all, you can do these simple practice exercises right in the comfort of your own home.

EXERCISE 1: Open your refrigerator door and insert one of your breasts between the door and the main box. Then have one of your strongest friends slam the door shut as hard as possible and lean on the door for good measure. Hold that position for approximately five seconds. Repeat again in case the first time wasn't effective enough.

EXERCISE 2: Visit your garage at 3 o'clock in the morning when the temperature of the cement floor is about five degrees below zero. Then take off all your clothes and lie comfortably on the floor with one breast wedged under the rear tire of the car. Ask a friend to slowly back the car up until your breast is sufficiently flattened and chilled. Then turn over and repeat with the other breast.

EXERCISE 3: Freeze two metal bookends overnight. Strip to the waist. Invite a complete stranger into the room. Press the bookends against one of your breasts. Smash the bookends together as hard as you can. Then set an appointment with the stranger to meet with you again next year to do it all over again.

According to my friend, if you take the above exercises seriously and do them correctly, your next mammogram will be a piece of cake.

And since I have plenty of space left this week (the column has to be 750 words long), here are some old magazine cartoon captions that hopefully will make you smile like they did me:

Surrounded by angry, red-face devils with very sharp pitchforks at the ready, a rather large group of unclothed sinners are being marched off to the fires of hell. One of the condemned says to another, "They say the important thing is to stay hydrated."

A man and woman are seated on a couch. She says to him, "Wow, we are so in synch! I was just about to ask you for a divorce, too."

A female cow is lecturing one of her fun-loving, mischievous offspring: "It was different in the old days. They said, `Get along little dogie', and, by God, we got along!"

An overweight, balding man is sprawled out in an easy chair watching television and drinking a beer. His wife, who is standing nearby, says, "Don't you think it's about time you started thinking about your legacy?"

Two female sheep are talking to each other. The caption reads, "Every time my poor Ed comes back from being sheared, we have to spend hours talking about how vulnerable he feels."

A princess is talking to a frog. The frog says, "No, no, no, it's just that all the royal inbreeding makes me look like a frog."

A very old man is resting quietly in his hospital room. A young man is seated next to him, writing a letter. The young man says, "Hey, Gramps, is deathbed one word or two?"

Two Founding Fathers are strolling down an early American street. One says to the other, "A well-regulated militia being necessary to the security of a free-state, I think we need cheap, available handguns."

Two dogs dressed like lawyers and carrying briefcases are talking to each other. One says, "Okay, I messed up, by the judge didn't have to rub my nose in it."

An elderly woman is looking at a photograph of her ex-husband. She says to a friend, "When Al and I were together, he was always singing `It Had to Be You'. The, suddenly, he switched to `I Gotta Be Me', and I haven't seen him since."

A newly arrived heavenly soul is talking to a winged angel. The angel says, "This is a little embarrassing to admit, but everything that happens actually happens for no real reason."

Two parents at a Little League game are standing up, applauding, and pointing to their son, who is rolling around on the field with a player from the other team. One of the parents proudly says to a nearby spectator, "It's his first bench-clearing brawl!"

Two female Pilgrims from the 1600s are strolling down the main street of their village. The woman with her head down has a large scarlet "A" woven onto the chest of her simple cloth dress. The woman with her head held high seems much more pleased with herself. She has an "A+" woven onto her chest.

GSMS class learns trust & teamwork with ropes

On June 12, the AVID class from Golden State Middle School challenged themselves at the Odyssey Ropes Course in Chico, California. The Odyssey Ropes consists of a 25-foot pole with a disc on top, "No bigger than your head," Will McCall explained.

"You stand on top of the disc and turn to your left. Then you jump and attempt to grab a trapeze bar. Students holding belay lines finally lower you safely to the ground."

The second obstacle required partners to climb up one ladder side by side. "Once you were there you had to grab on to your partner's shoulders and lean against each other while you walk across the two wires," Amber Jones and Casey Knight clarified. "The purpose was to learn about yourself," expanded Breanne Oliphint.

Students went to Odyssey Ropes to practice teamwork, to learn to trust themselves and others, to test their courage, to use determination, and to give 110%.

Golden State vice principals Mr. Del Solar and Ms. Wilkinson thought the Odyssey Ropes course would promote self-confidence. They got the approval of the principal, Mr. Whittemore, who provided the funds to pay for the trip.

"This trip was an amazing experience," said AVID student Karina Osipov.

"I got to show my classmates that I could trust them when I climbed the pole," explained Breanne Oliphint.

"I was scared when Lain told me the only way to get down was to jump," added Mario Cardenas. "But I trusted my classmates when I jumped and they used all their strength to hold me up."

Something for everyone: new book titles now on shelves at Turner library

From Elise McCallan
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SPORTS

SPORTS INSIDER

By Richard Novoa

The Los Angeles Lakers held off the stubborn Indiana Pacers to win the 2000 NBA Championship in six games. It was the Shaq and Kobe show that sealed the victory for the Lakers. Shaquille, who won the leagues MVP and All-Star game MVP award, was named the MVP of the finals. The Shaq, who scored 228 points in the series, averaged 38 points and 16 rebounds. Michael Jordan holds the record from 1993 with 41 points per game. It's official, the NBA season is over and the NFL season is just around the corner.

The Staples Center in Los Angeles was damaged on Monday night by over zealous Lakers fans. Thousands of young men ran through the streets in front of the Center destroying stores and tipping over police cars! I thought only European Soccer hooligans acted like fools. I wonder what would have happened if the Lakers had lost the series in seven games? What if the Sacramento Kings won the NBA Championship -- would our fans riot in front of City Hall?

Saturday night 20,774 fans crowded in the Staples Center for Championship boxing setting a California box office record. But it was De La Hoya's record that took another beating. Oscar De La Hoya lost his second consecutive fight when undefeated Sugar Shane Mosley (35-0) outlasted him in a 12 round decision. It was a great fight but it was De La Hoya who seemed to run out of gas in the later rounds. Oscar will take home about $15 million counting his share of the pay-per-view dollars while Shane pocketed about $5 million. De La Hoya is depressed and is reviewing his career options that include retirement or another rematch with Mosley in November for $10 million. Poor "Golden Boy" has some tough decisions to make.

Sacramento's Diego Corrales successfully defended his title for the fourth time knocking out Justin Juuko in the 10th round. Sacramento could very easily up end with three boxing champions. On Friday night in Las Vegas Juan Lazcano stopped veteran Wilfredo Vasquez in seven rounds to win the NABF lightweight title.

West Sacramento's Willie Jorrin is getting his WBC title shot against England's Michael Brodie on September 2nd at the Hilton in Reno. Corrales is also planning on defending his belt on the same card against Mexican Arnulfo Castillo (32-1-2, 20 KO's) in Reno.

The River Cats (39-29) still trail the Las Vegas Stars by two games in the Southern Division of the Pacific Coast League. The Cats are in New Orleans finishing their eight game road trip. They return to Raley Field for a four game series against the Stars starting on Thursday, June 22nd. The battle for first place should be very interesting especially after the A's called up pitchers Luis Viscaino and Ariel Prieto. The Gatos seem to run into a little slump in the Arizona heat. The Cats are 5-5 in their last 10 games. Tickets are still available for the next home stand by calling 447-HITS.

If you haven't bought your tickets for the U.S. Olympic Track and Field Trials at Sacramento State starting July 14th - July 23rd, you better hurry. The Sacramento Sports Commission is anticipating a sell-out for the eight days of glory! For ticket information call 264-6700 or visit the web site at www.sacsports.com

The Euro2000 Soccer Cup in Belgium is in the Quarterfinal stages with France, Holland, Portugal and Italy qualify for single elimination round that starts on Saturday, June 24th.

The tournament continues next week with the final set for Sunday, July 2nd in Holland.

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River Cats set new Pacific Coast League ticket sales record

The Sacramento River Cats recently announced that they sold their 713,225th ticket for the 2000 season, surpassing the Pacific Coast League's single-season record set by the Salt Lake Buzz in 1994.

To date, the River Cats have sold more than 714,000 tickets for their 71 home games (67 at Raley Field, 4 at the Network Associates Coliseum in Oakland) and are on pace to draw more than 850,000 for the season. Through 21 dates at Raley Field, the River Cats have drawn 257,146 fans.

"The support we have received from the people of the Sacramento region has been outstanding," River Cats President & CEO Art Savage said. "The team really enjoys playing in front of the fans here and they have shown that with their 15-6 record at Raley Field."

The River Cats will return home from their current eight-game road trip on June 22nd for a four-game series against the Las Vegas Stars.

In other River Cats news, first baseman Paul Sorrento retired from professional baseball. Sorrento had played 11 seasons in the major leagues, including stints with the Minnesota Twins, Cleveland Indians, Seattle Mariners, Tampa Bay Devil Rays, and Oakland A's. In 1,093 major league games, he hit 166 home runs. He also hit the first grand-slam home run at Raley Field.

It was also announced that outfield Eric Byrnes has been assigned to the River Cats' roster from Mildland (Double-A), where he had been hitting .306 with 5 home runs and 37 RBI's in 66 games. Byrnes was selected by the Oakland A's in the eighth round of the June 1998 draft out of UCLA.

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Check your cable TV listing: local driver races Sat.

West Sacramento's auto racing driver Burnie Lamar will compete on Saturday at Sears Point in the Featherlight Southwest Tour. The event will be televised on ESPN2. Check your cable TV listing for details.

Sports Quiz
by Chris Richcreek

1. This season, Ken Griffey Jr. became the youngest major-leaguer to reach the 400-homer milestone. Who previously held that record?
2. Who is the all-time leader in World Series victories by a pitcher?
3. How many times did famed running back John Riggins lead the NFL in rushing?
4. Who was the first men's college basketball coach to win a national championship and then leave for the NBA the next season?
5. Entering 2000, who was the last rookie goalie to win the NHL's Stanley Cup?
6. In how many consecutive Olympics did Australian swimmer Dawn Fraser win a gold medal in the 100m freestyle?
7. Who was the first black woman to win singles titles at Wimbledon and the U.S. Open?

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Local florist really loves her job

(Note: Below is the latest in a series of *News-Ledger* profiles of local advertisers. Enjoy!)

By Daryl Fisher
Advertising Director

Denise Stevens, the owner of West Sacramento's wonderfully fragrant Forever Yours flower shop, which is located a couple of doors down from Round Table Pizza in Jefferson Square, didn't get into the flower business until after she had already put in 29 years working for the State of California.

"I was a personnel manager with the State for many years," said Denise, "and although I enjoyed that kind of work, the flower business has turned out to be much more rewarding on a number of different levels. The best part, of course, is the personal contact I get to have with so many nice people on a daily basis. There's a lot of joy in helping others, and now my work allows me to do that all the time."

Denise grew up in Lincoln, California, and she really enjoyed the small-town atmosphere of her youth.

"That's one of the things which really attracted me to West Sacramento," said Denise. "Although it's not as rural as where I grew up, West Sac still has that special kind of friendliness you find in most small towns, you know, where everyone seems to know and care about each other. Plus it's also turned out to be a great place for my business, too."

Denise first got interested in the world of flowers when she opened up a little shop on some property she owned in Lincoln.

"Then one day I finally decided I might as well give the retail side of the business my full attention," recalled Denise, "and I went out of state to study how to properly freeze-dry flowers. Shortly after that, I purchased a $34,000 machine that flash-freezes flowers and then slowly takes all the moisture out of them over the course of about three weeks. Before I knew it, I was in the flower business full-time and having the time of my life."

Denise Stevens at 'Forever Yours': West Sac's best-smelling store?

Forever Yours has been at its present location for a little over two years and it has slowly evolved into a full-service flower shop.

"We can meet any fresh flower need a customer might have now," explained Denise. "We of course specialize in floral .wedding and funeral arrangements, but we do proms and all the other special occasions where flowers play a part, too. We also have quite a few gifts for sale, including a full line of candles, angels, and stuffed bears."

Denise is ably assisted at Forever Yours by friend and coworker Cindy Ogata, who still has a full-time job at the State of California, but helps out after work and on weekends, and by Lupe Viramontes, who does most of the home and business deliveries.

"I think one of the many rewards I get from working here is that the flower business isn't as stressful as my other job," said Cindy. "Plus Denise is trying very hard to keep Forever Yours a place where customers can get really good service and also enjoy themselves while they're here. There's a special feeling that comes from being able to give the customer exactly what he or she is looking for, and that happens a lot around here."

"The people of West Sacramento have been so supportive," said Denise, "and Forever Yours now has a very loyal cliental which is always growing. I've found that the key to everything is a sincere dedication to customer service and I want everyone out there to know that whatever their floral need might be, Forever Yours will do everything we possibly can to meet it."

Denise belongs to the International Freeze Dry Floral Association and has all the equipment necessary at Forever Yours to freeze-dry individual flowers or arrangements of flowers, giving their owners years more of use and enjoyment.

When Denise is not working at Forever Yours, which is not very often, she enjoys spending time with Eagle Hawk, a retired Morgan show horse that she has been taking care of for the past 18 years.

"There's nothing more relaxing than spending time with Eagle Hawk," said Denise. "He's a sweetheart."

Denise has one son, Mark Heer, who is 25 years old and manages a landscaping company. Mark and his girlfriend, Sally Canady, also work from time to time at the shop and have both been very helpful in making Forever Yours the business Denise always dreamed it would be.

Forever Yours is located at 1001 Jefferson Boulevard, Suite 600, and can be reached by calling 372-2271.

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Filed May 24, 2000
File No. 2000-392

The following person is doing business as Black Widow Productions, 3017 Ironwood Way, W. Sacto.:

Richard G. Ditlevsen and A. Patricia Ditlevsen, same address.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 5-24-00.

/s/Richard G. Ditlevsen
/s/A. Patricia Ditlevsen

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The following person is doing business as Kafuku Farm Institute, Inc., 1949 5th St., Suite 110, Davis, CA 95616:

Richard Armstrong, 2653 Lafayette Drive, Davis, CA 95616; Eunice Armstrong, 2653 Lafayette Drive, Davis, CA 95616; Clifford Washington, 4408 E. Nichols, Sacramento, CA 95820.

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/s/Richard Armstrong
/s/Eunice Armstrong
/s/Clifford Washington

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The following person is doing business as undaDC Productions, 2917 Austin St. #3, Davis, CA 95616:

Ann E. Kitchen, same address as above.

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/s/Ann E. Kitchen

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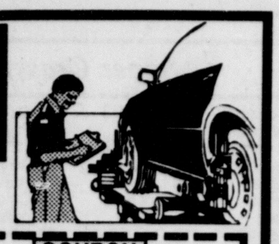

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by: /s/K. Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed May 2, 2000
File No. 2000-345
The following person is doing business as Heartwood Creations, 708 N St., Davis, CA 95616:
Ian Stevenson, same address.
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/s/Ian Stevenson
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed May 25, 2000
File No. 2000-394
The following person is doing business as Home Enterprises, 1296 E. Gibson Rd. #245:
Gary R. Waters, 1296 E. Gibson Rd. Suite 245, Woodland CA 95776.
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/s/Gary R. Waters
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by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed JUN 13, 2000
File No. 2000-445
The following person is doing business as Picture Express, 8780 Longmore Way, Fair Oaks, CA 95628:
Hanging Burl, Inc., a California corporation, 8780 Longmore Way, Fair Oaks, CA 95628.
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed JUN 12, 2000
File No. 2000-437
The following person is doing business as FABRIC DESIGNS.COM, 627 First St., Woodland, CA 95695:
Marjorie B. McWilliams, same address.
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/s/Marjorie B. McWilliams
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Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, in accordance with provisions of Section 21700 et seq of the Business & Profession Code of the State of California, of public sale of the contents of the storage spaces named below, which consist of misc. personal property, household, garage, office furn., yard, household items, vehicles, trailers, to satisfy a landlord lien. Complete terms and inspection prior to sale which will be held on the 11th day of July in the County of Yolo, State of California at 2600 Evergreen Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691 at 9:00 a.m.
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A-34 Mike Nelson, B-4 Matthew Estler, G-19 Theresa Allen, G-46 Ann Belt, RV#11 Steven Franklin.
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE T.S. No. 99-13188 Loan No. 1660389 TSG No. 4998/8 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 07/09/1999 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the real property known as 2973 Denise Court, West Sacramento, CA 95691 Assessor's Parcel Number 045-421-17 will be sold at public auction at the main entrance to the City Hall, 2101 Stone Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA on 07/12/2000, at 1:00 P.M., to the highest bidder, payable at the time of sale, for cash a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Financial Code section 5102 and authorized to do business in California. The sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust executed by Deanrn Dertanew and David A. Dertanew, as trustor, Recorded on 08/12/1999, Instrument 1999-0025089, of Official Records of Yolo, County, California. The total amount secured by said instrument as of the time of initial publication of the notice is $114,443.84, estimated, which includes the total amount of the unpaid balance (including accrued and unpaid interest) and reasonably estimated costs, expenses, and advances at the time of initial publication of this notice. Dated: 06/15/2000 Premier Trust Deed Services, Inc., 3 ADA, Irvine, California 92618, Trustee Sale Information Number (916) 387-7728, Premier Trust Deed Services, Inc. By: Heather Blood, Asst. Secretary. ASAP394548 6/21, 6/28, 7/5

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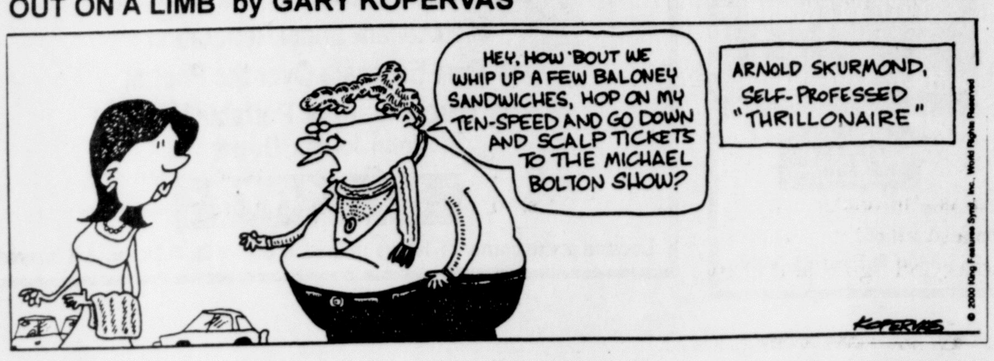
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YEAH!
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52 Kitchen utensils
54 — one's time (waits)
57 Weber's "— Freischutz"
58 '98 home run king
60 Praise
62 Female goat
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65 Sour fruit
66 Like some watches
68 Bradley or Epps
70 "Heat and —" ('83 film)
73 Writer Rand
74 Education pioneer
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82 Wordsworth works
83 Magazine employee
86 Air bear?
88 — Gatos, CA
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91 Winter wear
93 Bearded bandleader
97 Lamb's dam
100 Wear away
101 Illinois city
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103 What trumpets do
105 Diarist Anais
106 Homeric combatants
108 5th Dimension member
112 Farmer's place
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115 Bond rating
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120 Ocean vessel
123 Glass' "— on the Beach"
128 "Full Metal Jacket" star
133 Team scream
134 Humorist George
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5 Boxer Johansson
6 Baird or Witherspoon
7 Theological sch.
8 — tree (cornered)
9 Sulky
10 Part of 12 Down
11 Atkins or Huntley
12 Calculating person?
13 O'Hare info
14 Incites Rover
15 Rock hound?
16 Jacob's twin
17 Pencil piece
21 "Ethan Frome" prop
26 Eloquent equine
28 Rink legend
29 Caroline, to Ted
34 Celebrity
35 Little devil
37 Comice kin
38 Math subject
39 Shearer of "The Red Shoes"
40 "As You Like It" setting
41 Silly Skelton
42 Periodontists' org.
43 Campus digs
45 Whips up a waistcoat
46 Spanish city
47 Croce's Mr. Brown
48 Leno's network
51 Loses control
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55 Dutch treat?
56 Patriot Deane
58 Ramble
59 Animal that roared?
61 Singer Amos
63 Melville novel
67 Tenor Beniamino
69 Hwys.
71 Fountain order
72 Threefold
75 "I'm — Cowhand" ('36 song)
76 Getty or Parsons
77 "Take — leave it!"
78 Heart, e.g.
79 "Peer Gynt" composer
80 "Maltese Falcon" actress
84 Maine town
85 Chatter box?
87 Square measure
89 Actor Pickens
92 Berry or Olin
94 Sped
95 Construct
96 Bartok or Peron
98 One of the Osmonds
99 Directional suffix
103 Command
104 Stem
107 "— Hand" ('81 hit)
109 One in a million
110 Salted snack
111 Purrfect pet?
113 South American capital
116 Current amount
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119 Conductor Klemperer
121 Stentorian
122 Writer O'Brien
124 Neighbor of Pakistan
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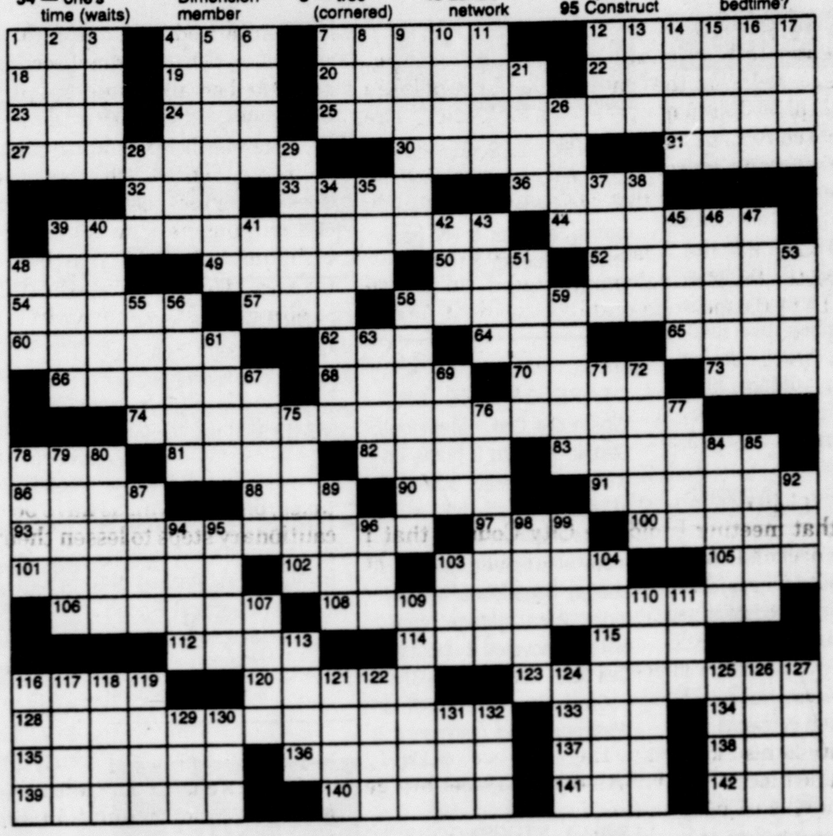

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OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial

Policies & painted ladies

Last year, West Sacramento's planning commission began work on helping the local building codes to make sense, and helping to make sure the code didn't get "in the way" of good renovation projects.

The *News-Ledger* made a related suggestion, to the effect that West Sacramento ought to look at a new way of doing things being pioneered elsewhere in the country. In some jurisdictions, there is now a separate set of codes for rehabilitation projects – different from the one in place for new construction. The point is that it is often financially impossible for landowners who own old buildings to renovate these buildings, if they are forced to bring them "up to code" as they do. It makes more sense to allow these people to "grandfather in" some of the old buildings' features, as long as these old features are safe and usable.

A smart approach to these regulations will go a long way towards encouraging rehabilitation of old buildings and old neighborhoods in West Sacramento.

The city is still working its way through its approach to standards, but as planning commissioner Jeff Henry reports, this commission has sent a "loud and clear" message to staff that they are not to stand in the way of local renovation projects with frivolous interpretation of building codes.

That message has apparently been received. Two weeks ago, the *News-Ledger* brought you the story of the ongoing renovation of one of West Sacramento's old Victorian homes ("painted ladies"). The owner reported, encouragingly, that building department head Bhu Patel and his staff have been extremely communicative and practical in their oversight of this landmark project. That is one reason why this home's conversion into a small office complex will be a success. It's also a good sign that the city may be on track to save many of the other Victorians in the Washington neighborhood.

This would be a coup for West Sacramento. The homes were once beautiful. Some of them still are, and many more of them can be a glistening part of the waterfront's residential and commercial future.

Is there room to improve on West Sacramento's pro-renovation policies?

If so, then the improvements might lie in the creation of even more proactive policies to encourage and support the restoration and reuse of these "painted ladies."

Letters to the Editor

A big mistake

On June 13th, at an all-communities meeting, we discussed what the contents should be of large murals placed at major gateways to the city. The general consensus for our bridge gateway seemed to be time-line murals showing the evolution of life on the river from our earliest beginnings to now.

On June 14th, the West Sacramento City Council directed the Redevelopment Agency to negotiate a DDA (Disposition and Development Agreement) for the Northbridge site with the Sares-Regis Group for development of a 52-unit single family detached development. The site is the old Salude Clinic site. It is 2.94 acres, bounded by 3rd/4th/B and C streets. The site is valued at 800k, owned by the city, and would be given to the developer.

At that meeting I told the City Council that I am concerned that 52 new affordable homes at the foot of a major gateway to the city is not compatible with the mural and our Historic Riverfront District.

Since then, other concerns have arisen concerning building 52 new affordable homes at this site. Besides being at the foot of the I street bridge, the site is also located at the entrance to a very valuable piece of land north of the I street bridge (the northeast bank of the river.

What goes on this old Salud Clinic site will be permanent and will have a direct affect, be it positive or negative, on the northeast bank and the rest of the Historic River Front.

Also, what environmental impact will we put on the northeast bank? The main entrance would be 4th street and 3rd street and there would be heavy vehicle and foot traffic at the front doors of the 52 homes.

I'm thinking 52 homeowners could sue, could hold up indefinitely any development of this vital property and could render our developing riverfront child brain-dead forever.

I suggest we consider a review of the Washington Specific Plan to see if mix use (new housing) is still what we want in the Historic District. It seems to me new housing is not the best use of it's dollar value. We need to remember it took many years and lifetimes to make it what it is now. What we do with it now is going to be permanent. The houses are not going to go away.

The DDA will be ready for the City Council's approval in about 6 weeks. The redevelopment Agency has planned meetings for community input, perhaps as early as June 27th. Please watch your calendars and attend.

JULIA HARRINGTON
West Sacramento

Bury the death tax

No section of the tax code is more unfair and more dangerous to our entrepreneurial economy than the death tax. With rates as high as 55%, the death tax punishes people who build a successful business or farm and try to leave that legacy to their kids. Moreover, the death tax's modest contributions to the federal Treasury are dwarfed by its staggering impact on the U.S. economy.

The reasons to terminate the death tax are simple:

1. The death tax is unfair. In 1996, 53% of the death tax returns were for estates valued below $1 million, and 96% of the returns were for estates valued below $5 million. These business owners are not the Rockefellers and Carnegies; they are our neighbors, community leaders, and role models.

2. The death tax is a tax on American values, a virtue tax, a tax on the American dream. Typically, the owners of small businesses and farms plow much of their profits back into the business. This means that, at the end of the day, their kids have inherited a business that is asset rich, but cash poor. The financial security that these family-owned small businesses provide is put at risk if the owner dies with a taxable estate.

3. The death tax is anti-jobs and anti-entrepreneurship. The death tax is the leading cause of dissolution for most small businesses. One-third of small business owners today will have to sell or liquidate part of their business to pay estate taxes, and half of those who do liquidate will have to eliminate 30 or more jobs.

4. Minority-owned firms are particularly hard hit by the death taxes. A Kennesaw State survey shows that 58% of minority businesses anticipate failure or problems when encountering death taxes. In addition, while 90% of these business owners know about these burdensome death taxes, only two-thirds have been able to take precautionary steps to lessen their exposure to these taxes.

5. The death tax collects only a small percentage of federal revenues. Indeed, this year the Congressional Budget Office projects that the death tax will collect roughly $30 billion this year, just 1.5% of total federal revenues.

6. The compliance costs of the death tax actually cost the economy more that it collects.

7. There's a lot of people getting rich off the death tax. One report found that at least 16,000 members of the American Bar Association cite trust, probate, and estate law as specialties.

8. The death tax is anti-family.

9. Repealing the death tax would create new jobs. A study by George Mason University professor Richard Wagner showed tremendous economic gains from eliminating death taxes, because repealing them would greatly reduce the cost of capital.

10. The death tax is out of step with our new, investor-based economy. With nearly half of all American households now invested in the stock market, it is possible that millions of average families will soon retire with estates large enough to be hit by the death tax.

Repealing the death tax is the right thing to do for American family farms, businesses, and the new economy. It's also the right thing to do to protect American values at a minimal cost to the U.S. Treasury.

SCOTT A. HODGE
Citizens for a Sound Economy

Sewers and sidewalks

"Planners hope to shift cost of urban sprawl...suburbs would pay more for services" (Bee, 6/11/2000). The article further states, "The American suburb has been subsidized by taxpayers almost since birth." Another example claims the cost of hooking to Sacramento's county-wide sewer system will rise from the present $2,444 to $5,255 per home over the next 3 years.

Not noted was that in addition to financial savings from "non-expansion of sewer, etc." would be avoiding the increase in vehicle pollution that comes with more commuting from further out. This can be accomplished by redevelopment, closer in to existing development, that is "pedestrian-friendly."

One potential for this was discussed at the June 14 West Sac City Council meeting re: the vacant square block at foot of I Street Bridge, property owned by city. Not noted on public agenda was City Council's (acting as Redevelopment Agency) plan to give land to whomever comes up with most favorable redevelopment plan. Also not noted was part of the plan to subsidized successful bidder for anywhere from $200,000 to $500,000. Is the giveaway of land and money necessary? And how much would these units sell for?

While City Council was properly concerned with the "first impressions" by visitors from bridge, they also rightly rejected the "gated community" feature of the 52-home proposal that included building its share of affordable homes "somewhere else." (Remember Lighthouse Marina?)

Second of two proposals proposed "innovative row homes" and something commercial in the northwest corner of 3rd and C Streets. (Row house: Identical homes joined by common walls...I first thought they were "boat homes" without motors!)

Lastly, we now have a Sidewalk Repair Partnership Program. So for trip hazards or need for curb cuts, city will go 50-50, even though state law places responsibility with property owner. For homes without sidewalks, one should check with West Sac Public Works Department.

WILLIAM A. LOWELL
West Sacramento

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over those in 1999, when the city first sponsored a photo competition. The category showing the most growth was that for non-residents, whose entries doubled and matched the West Sacramento 18-55 category for overall popularity. Raley Field and the Port of Sacramento's deep water channel were favorite subjects with contestants this year.

Following the May 16 contest entry deadline, an independent panel of judges evaluated photos for visual appeal, composition, originality and the theme "capturing extraordinary images of everyday life in West Sacramento. Judges included representatives of the Arthur F. Turner branch of the county library, the West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce, the Washington Unified School District, the California State Fair, KOVR-TV, Raley's/Bel Air, Ritz Camera and the Sacramento Bee.

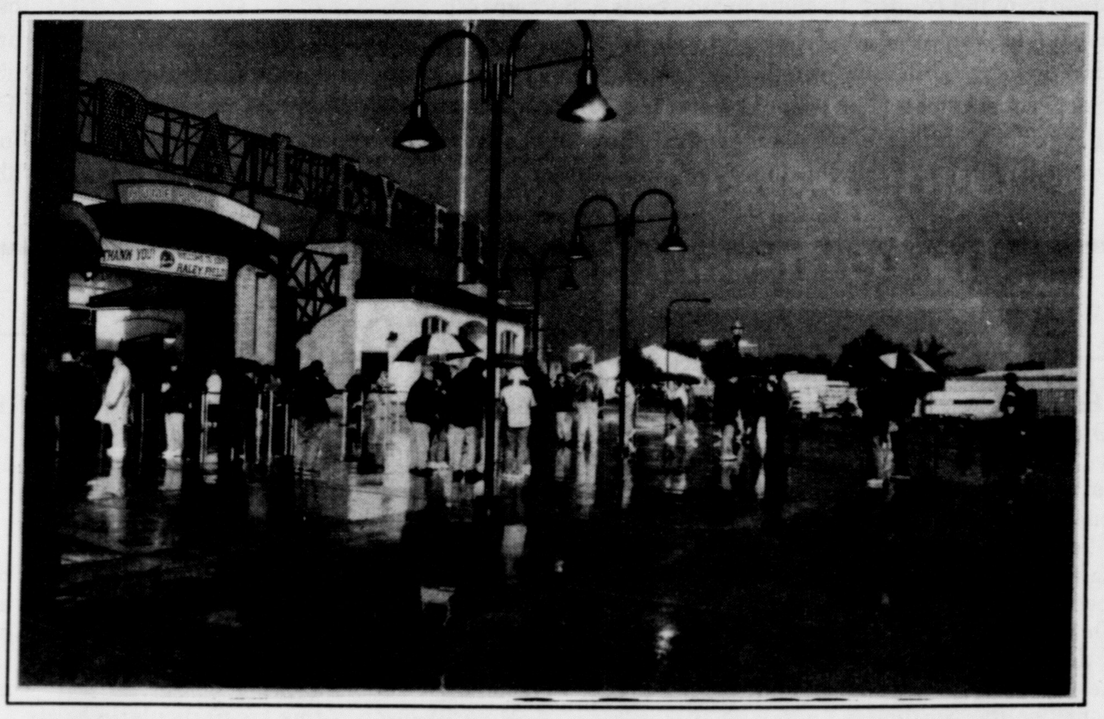
The top photos will be featured on the city Web site, www.ci.west-sacramento.ca.us, and on city displays throughout the year. The "10 Days in May" contest was presented by the City of West Sacramento in association with the *West Sacramento Press*, Carwen Printers and the *News-Ledger*.

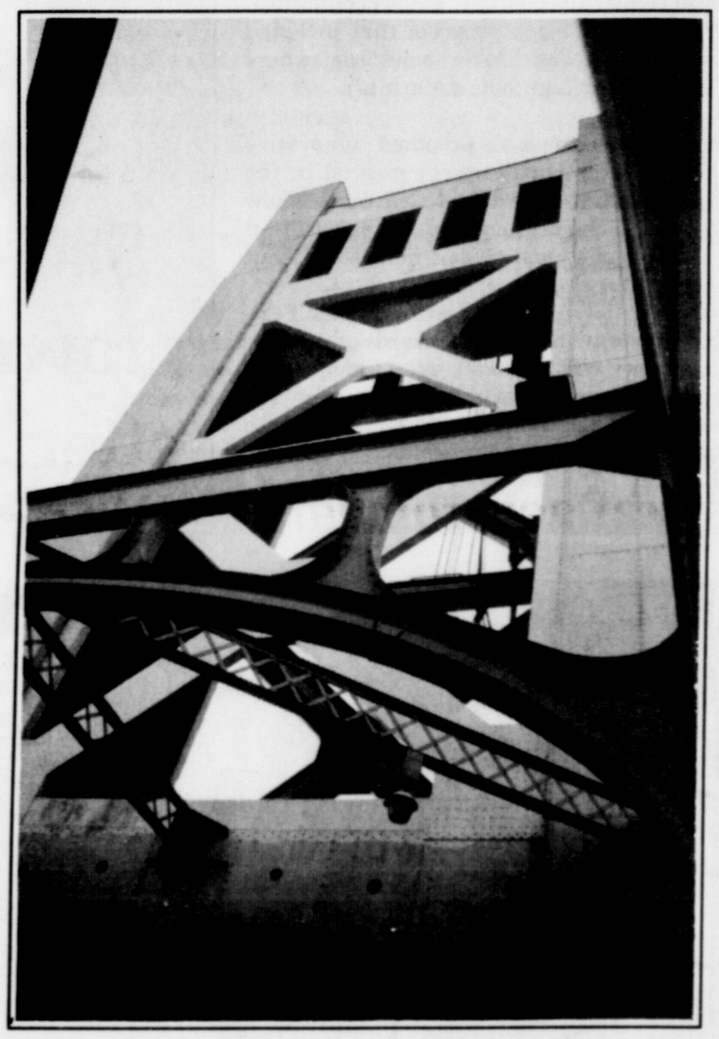
CLOCKWISE FROM TOP RIGHT:
City Clerk Helen Kanowsky's first-place portrait of her mother, Elaine Kanowsky (a city employee entry).

Art Alejandre's first-place, black-and-white shot of Raley Field -- a winner in the "non-resident" competition.

Jalene Rusaw's black-and-white shot of two kids on the Shortline railroad took first among locals 18-55.

Julie Folsom's color study of the Tower Bridge took second among residents 18-55.





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a complete discussion again of campaign reform," said Cabaldon, adding that he'd be willing to look at Cahill's issue as part of that. But "I don't think this is the primary issue we face. If I had to pick the number one issue in campaign reform in our city that needs talking about, it's independent expenditures and the reporting of these."

Independent expenditure committees are those set up to promote a certain candidate or issue, but controlled "independently" and not by a candidate. A private citizen, for example, can spend an unlimited amount of his own money using an independent committee to support a candidate. If the same citizen were to simply donate to the candidate's campaign, however, he would be limited to a $250 donation under West Sacramento laws.

Cabaldon's comment may have had Cahill in mind. Cahill had been promoted by local landowner Vince Frugoli's independent campaigning in West Sacramento's 1998 election. Because Frugoli was not contributing directly to Cahill's campaign, his expenditures in favor of Cahill were unrestricted. Cahill said at the time that he had no control over Frugoli's efforts.

Following Cabaldon's remarks about Cahill's proposal, Montemayor moved that the item not come back for a future agenda discussion. With Cahill voting against this motion, it passed – effectively killing the disclosure proposal.

Cahill then said he would withdraw a second request he had planned to make, which was to schedule a city council discussion of new laws requiring city officers to disclose lobbying contacts involving city business. He referred to these as *ex parte* contacts, occurring outside of public meetings.

"If you don't think disclosing campaign contributions is important, you're sure as heck not going to think. . .," he began, but both Potnick and Bill Kristoff interjected that they couldn't let such a comment go unanswered.

"That's crap and you know it," said Kristoff. "It's garbage. . . everybody follows (the laws). Just because you come up with some cockamamie idea. . . ."

"I expect this kind of attitude," rebutted Cahill. "It's been that way for the last two years."

"Well, you can resign," said Kristoff.

Potnick then deferred his own comments, saying Kristoff's "sort of synopsized" his own.

Cabaldon brought the meeting to a close.

McGOWAN from page one

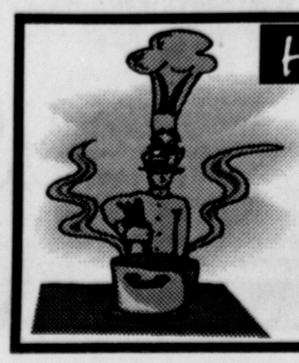
value in the assets of the Port? What does it do for us? Then we need to go ahead with a debate and discuss it as carefully as we possibly can."

"It's a governmental jurisdiction that sits right in the middle of our community," he added. "The Port can't go one way and the city another."

McGowan, who also sits as Yolo County's representative on the port's governing board, added that the Port of Sacramento is "a niche port, a boutique port" with a dependence on some mostly agricultural commodities, and that he "strongly" supports deepening its channel to allow larger ships access.

"The Port's best days may be ahead of it even if the Port's future is not as a port, but as some other kind of transportation facility. We may move people, instead."

McGowan cited Long Beach and Oakland's Jack London Square as examples of creative waterfront uses created from port property.



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Grades four through six at Holy Cross Elementary School spent 24 hours at Sutter Fort in Sacramento, reliving the days of the pioneer west.

Each student was assigned a historical character from the past, researching their characters for months prior to the big day. Costumed for the era, they then played a role in operating the fort, acting out their part in front of many visiting onlookers.

Students had responsibilities such as cooking in the authentic kitchen with only a fire, rope making, candle making, churning butter, baking bread, learning to hunt and trap, and woodworking.

Pictured are (top row, from left): Kelsie Shower, Keegan Burdette, Hammad Khan, Anthony Garfio; (bottom, from left) Donald Khan, Teacher Mrs. Jeanne Anderson, and Jasmyn Boone.

New bill language may open search for new state office sites

A bill restricting West Sacramento from consideration for future state office buildings will be changed, said Mayor Christopher Cabaldon. The new language has been approved by the state assembly and is being considered by the senate.

"We took out language that could have put a (geographical) limit of Sacramento into the bill," he said. "It still targets the 'core' area (in Sacramento). But for other buildings that aren't going to be in the core area, you ought to apply 'smart growth' criteria for existing urban areas."

The change means that West Sacramento, too, can be considered in evaluating placing new offices buildings in urban areas that make sense from a "smart growth" perspective, which evaluates proximity to public transit and other considerations.

Cabaldon said that he, Yolo supervisor Mike McGowan and state assemblywoman Helen Thomson met with state treasurer Phil Angelides and assemblyman Phil Angelides to alter the language in the bill.

The new language allows areas to be considered for office buildings if they could provide access to transit. The new language is expected to allow downtown West Sacramento sites to be considered for state offices whenever the search area is broadened outside the "core" area of Sacramento's downtown.

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Police log

June 13, 11:40 a.m.
An officer contacted a 39-year old West Capitol man in the front yard of a Solano St. home. There was a court order restraining him from being at the residence, and the suspect was arrested.

June 16, 8:45 a.m.
Employees of a West Capitol Ave. supermarket reported that someone had broken into their Lotto ticket machine, stealing $100 in cash. A similar incident was reported at another supermarket the day before.

June 16, 7:57 p.m.
An officer was hailed by a citizen who reported vandalism in progress at the rear of a West Capitol address. The officer found two male subjects writing on a wall at that location. An 18-year old and his accomplice were arrested.

June 16, 6:20 p.m.
A Virginia Ave. woman reported to police that her son had overheard her husband talking, apparently, to an answering machine. The man was believed to be offering someone $15,000 to "off" her.

June 17, 2:30 a.m.
At a Fifth St. apartment, two officers responded to an injury call after a boy was shot with a pellet or BB gun. The youth had been playing with an air pistol along with a friend and, believing the weapon's safety to be on, had pointed it at his face and pulled the trigger. He was struck in the mouth. The youth was taken to a hospital for treatment.

June 17, 2:05 a.m.
Police responded to a medical aid call at a West Capitol Ave. unit. Fire department personnel were giving first aid to a woman with a 1 ½ inch laceration above her eye. She refused to identify her assailant.

June 17, 5 p.m.
On Anna St., a woman reported that a 39-year old man came into her house, got into an argument with her, and punched holes in the wall and pulled her cable box from her TV. The man was located on Taber St. and arrested. Damage was less than $500.

June 18, 4 a.m.
On 15th St., a woman reported hearing a noise and looking outside to discover someone had used a brick to break the rear window of a vehicle.

June 18, 7:10 a.m.
On Alabama Ave., a woman reported her 12-year old daughter had run away.

June 18, 12:50 p.m.
On Drever St., a woman reported someone had broken the rear window of her vehicle.

June 18, 8:05 p.m.
An officer responded to a "911" hangup call and found several children, the oldest of whom was eight years old, without supervision in an apartment. A 13-year old supposed to be supervising them was playing basketball nearby. The case was forwarded to Child Protective Services.

June 18, 10:20 p.m.
An officer stopped a 44-year old female with two other subjects under the I St. Bridge. The woman had two misdemeanor warrants. She gave permission for a search of her backpack, and police found a hypodermic needle and two glass smoking pipes with some black residue. She was arrested, cited and released.

In local government

The **West Sacramento City Council** will meet tonight at 7 p.m. in open session.

Agenda items include a public hearing on the street naming pattern for Bridgeway Island; solicitation of bids for the Harbor Blvd. rehabilitation project; consideration of a Port of Sacramento property easement agreement, and acceptance of utility easements for constructing, operating and maintaining the Southport Sanitary Sewer Pump Station;

Award of Westacre Subdivision Main Replacement Project to Richard Cox Construction; Consideration of resolution establishing appropriations limit; amendment to authorized position list; request that the county elections office perform election services; workshop on the wastewater treatment decision; consideration of establishment of a housing and grants administration department; strategic planning follow-up; award of legal notice bid to West Sacramento Press.

The **West Sacramento Planning Commission** plans a special, "mobile workshop" on Thurs., June 22, planning visits to a number of new regional subdivisions. Maps showing planned stops will be available on Friday to the public. Interested parties may meet at 4 p.m. at the city offices at 1951 South River Rd. Call 373-5854.

The **Yolo County Library West Sacramento Library Planning Committee** will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. on June 22, 2000 at the Arthur F. Turner Branch Library.

Agenda items include welcome and introductions by Mary Stephens and Dale Gilliard; an opportunity for members of the public to address the Committee; Overview: Yolo County Project; West Sacramento Project: Planning Process Steps, Building Program Steps, Roles of Various Groups and Assessment Methods Overview; Identification of Key Issues; and Next Steps.

The **Washington Unified School District** met June 21 for a special session on the proposed 2000-2001 budget; the meeting announcement was receieved too late for inclusion in last week's newspaper.

On Thursday, the school board will hold its regular meeting, with public session beginning at 7 p.m. at Yolo Alternative High School, 920 Westacre Rd.

Agenda items include a curriculum report from Yolo High; bargaining unit updates; report from student board member Rebekah Marshall; revision of consolidated application; approval of out-of-state conference; summary of purchase orders exceeding $5,000; update on K-12 technology for the district; award of state preschool expansion grant of two additional classes; school plans 2000-2001; consideration of contract for legal services; adoption of budget; Bridgeway Site analysis and testing for approval by state and local agencies; and various personnel actions.

The **Port of Sacramento's Finance & Industrial Development Committee**, chaired by Ray Jones, will meet at 8:30 a.m. June 22 at 3251 Beacon Blvd. to discuss "approval to sell 5.5 acres to Southport Investors." The property is described as being in Southport.

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Anna Street Baptist Church Rev. Norman Pollitt, 371-6560 1400 Anna St., W. Sac. Sun. 10am Bible Study 11am & 6pm Worship Service Wed. 7pm Prayer/Bible Study http://www.hows.net/95605ASBC	**Community Lutheran Church** Rev. Marjorie C. Beach, Pastor 920 Drever St., 371-8804 10am Worship/Sun. School Friendly, family, inclusive language. The 'come as you are' church.	**Seventh Day Adventist Church** H. Eugene Miller, Pastor 334-9315, 2860 Jefferson Blvd., W. Sac.; PO Box 447, W. Sac., 95691; Sat. Sabbath School 9:30am Worship 11am. 372-6570
First Baptist Church Gary Clements, Pastor Sun. Worship 9:45am Sun. eve. fellowship 6pm; Jr/Sr hi. youth Mon. 6:30pm Home Bible Studies Tues 7pm Awana (K-6) Wed. 6:30pm; Boy Scouts (11-18) Thurs. 6:30pm; Men's Prayer Fllwshp Sat. 8am 1511 Delaware Ave. 371-4061	**Trinity Presbyterian Church** 1500 Park Blvd., 371-5875 Rev. David Huusko, Pastor Sunday Schedule: 9am, Christian Education 10am, Worship Service Child care provided. Join us!	**Holy Cross Catholic Church** 1321 Anna St., near Todhunter, 371-1211 Rev. Chad Puthoff, SDS Sat. Vigil 5pm (English) Sun. 9 (Eng.); noon & 7 pm (Spanish) Mon. 8:30am, Tues-Wed. 7am, Thurs. 6:45 (Spanish) Fri. 8:30am
First Southern Baptist Church Pastor Michael Root Sun. School 9:30am Sun. Worship 11am, 6:30pm Wed. 6:30pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 2124 Michigan Blvd. 371-2111	**SOUTHPORT COMMUNITY CHURCH** **James Allerton, Pastor** Meeting at Westmore Oaks Elem. School, 10:30 a.m. Children's programs Weekly small group Bible Study Great music www.southportchurch.com 372-7818	*If your place of worship is not listed here, call 371-8030 for information.*

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Local Scene

State of the City

The West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce and City of West Sacramento are co-sponsoring the annual "State of the City" address Fri., June 23, featuring comments from Mayor Christopher Cabaldon. Social hour begins at 5:30 p.m. and dinner begins at 7 p.m. at the Money Store atrium, 707 3rd St. Tickets are $25. Call 371-7042.

Bible School

Trinity Presbyterian Church will host a Vacation Bible School from June 26-30 for students preschool to eighth grade. Interested people may call 371-5875 for information.

Shakespeare

The Sacramento Shakespeare Festival returns June 30 through Aug. 6 at William Land Park. Opening with "A Midsummer Night's Dream," the festival will continue with "The Tempest" beginning July 7. Parking is available for $1 on 15th Ave.; the box office opens at 6 p.m. on show nights and tickets are $10 general admission and $8 for students, seniors, SARTA members and those with disabilities. Picnics and beverages are permitted; blankets and jackets are encouraged. Ticket sales begin June 14. Call 558-2228 for information.

Food giveaway

The Food Bank of Yolo County will distribute food to eligible West Sacramento and Yolo residents on June 24 at the county building on Jefferson Blvd. from 8-10 a.m.; at the Sam Combs Activity Center from 8:30-9:30 a.m.; and at the Clarksburg Firehouse from 10-11 a.m. Commodities include frozen beef, tuna, dates and trail mix. For information, call 758-6821. Please bring a bag.

Tennis camp

The city of West Sacrament' Parks Dept. is sponsoring a summer tennis class for youths age 7-17 at the River City High School tennis courts. Three sessions run from 6/26-7/7, 7/24-8/4, and 8/7-8/18. Cost is $25 per session. For information, call 373-5860.

Weight loss

"TOPS" (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), a weight loss support group, meets every Wednesday from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the West Sacramento Senior Center, 664 Cummins Way #61. Call 372-0751 or 1-800-932-8677 for information.

Senior Spin

The semi-final playoff contest of Senior Spin, the West Sacramento Senior Center's take-off on the Wheel of Fortune TV game show, airs this month on Cable TV Channel 21. The show repeats every day at 6:30 p.m. and additionally at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays.

Stadium available

Local non-profit groups are invited to apply for use of the new Raley Field stadium, which will be made available to the community for 20 dates between June 17 and March 1. Applications are due by July 31. Call the West Sacramento Parks and Community Services Dept., at 373-5860, for an application and further information.

Preschool

The Washington Unified School District offers parent-participation preschool classes at Bryte (morning and afternoon year-round), Westmore Oaks (afternoon), Evergreen (morning), Westfield (afternoon), Alyce Norman (afternoon) and Elkhorn (English in morning; bilingual in afternoon) elementary schools. Three and a half hours of instruction, including lunch, is provided during the school schedule Monday through Friday. Cal Works beneficiaries and limited income families may be eligible. Call 375-7640 for information.

Arts & Crafts

Every second Saturday, June through October, the City of West Sacramento sponsors an Arts and Crafts Fair at River Walk Park at the Grand Staircase from 8 a.m. to noon. Park on E and F streets between 2nd and 3rd, or along 2nd St. For information, call 373-5819.

Yolo Fair

Signups are beginning for Yolo County Fair entries, as the fair opens Aug. 16. Divisions include photography, baking, clothing, preserved foods, arts, crafts, hobbies and junior livestock, with these divisions closing June 30 in senior and junior divisions. Catalogs are available at the West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce, 1414 Merkley Ave.

Summer reading

Although the Yolo Co. Bookmobile is on hold due to mechanical problems, the library has set up a "deposit site" of 125-150 children's books at each of five county locations for patrons use. Locally, this includes a book site at the Holly Court Apartments, 445 Maple St., West Sacramento (372-0160). Books are available beginning June 13 in both English and Spanish.

Library activities

Summer activities are beginning at the West Sacramento branch of the county library, 1212 Merkley Ave. Programs include a summer reading club and teen reading club, running through Aug. 12. Preschool storytime will be held Tuesdays at 11 a.m. in English and 11:30 a.m. in Spanish. School age programs begin select Saturdays, including a 3 p.m. June 17 program on mummies. Harry Potter and Snapes Laboratory will be featured July 8. Weekly programs for schoolchildren begin June 21 and run through July 26 at 2 p.m. Call 375-6465 for more information. Sponsored by East Yolo Friends of the Library.

Bible School retreat

Community Lutheran Church invites children 3-12 to attend its Vacation Bible School Overnight Retreat, Fri., July 7 at 3 p.m. to Sat., July 8 at 5 p.m. Older youth and parents are welcome as helpers. Call 371-8804 for information.

Pony races

The West Sacramento Emblem Club will hold its annual "pony races" Sat., June 24 at 6 p.m. Kids are welcome, too. 423 Third St.; call 371-8479 for information.

Taco Night

Taco Night returns to the West Sacramento Moose Lodge at 3240 Jefferson Blvd, running Wednesday nights through Aug. 30. Members, their families and guests are invited. Tacos are $1; combination plates $3. Call 371-9684 or 371-6303 for information.

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Dance Factory schedules recital for Saturday

Samantha MacDonald, age 3 1/2

The Dance Factory of West Sacramento will hold its annual recital this Saturday, June 24, at 6 p.m. in McClatchy High School's auditorium.

This year's performance, entitled "Reflections," will feature songs from the '90s. Performances will include tap, jazz, cheerleading, gymnastics and singing.

Choreography is by instructors Nancy Garcia, Laura MacDonald, Joy Almendariz, Sarah Sandoval, Dena Lozano, Alicia Dosty and Karyn Williams.

The instructors, along with aerobics teacher Michelle Sommer, invite you to attend the recital and also to try a class at the Dance Factory this summer. Summer sessions begin July 5.

For information, call 371-5061.

Over $1,000 raised for library

From the East Yolo Friends of the Library

Sales of $1,049 were made during the June, 2000 East Yolo Friends of the Library booksale. A good crowd of eager booklovers stocked up for the summer by purchasing hundreds of used books that were on sale. The next sale is scheduled for early October. Donations of books, records, tapes, and magazines may be left at the library and are tax-deductible (just ask for a slip).

Generous community donations and a hard-working crew of volunteers made this year's booksale a great success and the following individuals and organizations made it possible:

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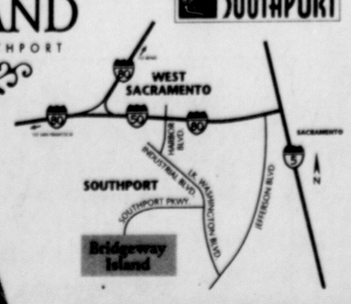

Answers to Sports Quiz & Puzzles

1. Hall of Fame hitter Jimmie Foxx. Both were 30 years old when they set the record. Foxx finished with 534 career home runs; 2. New York Yankees great Whitey Ford won 10 World Series games; 3. Riggins, a Hall of Fame player, never led the NFL in rushing; 4. Kansas coach Larry Brown did it in 1988; 5. Patrick Roy of Montreal accomplished the feat in 1986; 6. Three consecutive Olympics (1956, '60, '64); 7. Althea Gibson won both events in 1957 and again in '58.

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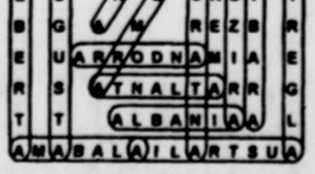

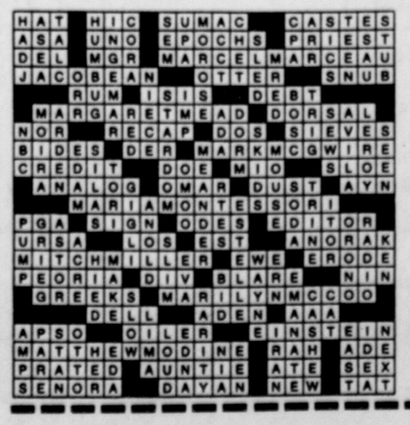

Differences: 1. Moon is reversed. 2. House is smaller. 3. Hand is not showing. 4. Pillow is smaller. 5. Fence is smaller. 6. Curtain is shorter.

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